

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

ADVANCED CARDIOVASCULAR)
SYSTEMS, INC. and GUIDANT)
SALES CORP.,)

Plaintiffs,)

V.)

C. A. No. 98-80-SLR

MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC. and)
MEDTRONIC USA, INC.,)

Defendants.)

STIPULATION AND ORDER

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by the parties, subject to the approval of the Court, that the time for defendants Medtronic Vascular, Inc. and Medtronic USA, Inc. to serve their reply briefs in support of their motion for judgment as a matter of law (D.I. 651) and motion for new trial pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 59(a) (D.I. 650), is hereby extended through and including July 18, 2005.

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SO ORDERED this ____ day _____, 2005.

Robinson, C.J.